

Docket No.: 42390P10727

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Re the Application of:

Application No.: 09/773,202

Art Group: 2181

Filed: January 30, 2001

Examiner: Justin King

For: **A METHOD FOR CREATING A
COMMUNICATION-CHANNEL FOR BUS
COMMUNICATION**

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)

Commissioner for Patents
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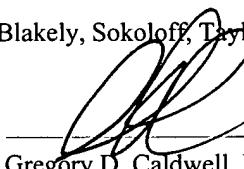
Sir:

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), the Applicant for the above-identified application respectfully Petitions the Commissioner for a three (3) month extension of time, extending the period for response to December 28, 2005, from the Final Office Action dated June 28, 2005. A check for \$1,020.00 (petition filing fee) is attached.

If it should be determined that a longer extension of time is required to prevent this application from being abandoned, please charge any additional fees to Deposit Account No. 02-2666. A copy of the Fee Transmittal is enclosed for deposit account charging purposes.

Respectfully submitted,

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